

HOUSE BILL 1053

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AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 4,  
Chapter 29 and Title 63, Chapter 26, relative to  
the board of electrolysis.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 63-26-102, is amended by deleting in its entirety subdivision (1) and by substituting instead the following:

(1) "Commissioner" means the commissioner of health;

SECTION 2. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 63-26-104, is amended by deleting such section in its entirety.

SECTION 3. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 63-26-105, is amended by deleting such section in its entirety.

SECTION 4. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 63-26-106, is amended by deleting such section in its entirety and by substituting instead the following:

Section 63-26-106. Subject to appropriations for that purpose, the director of the division of health related boards shall employ and supervise all necessary administrative personnel necessary to conduct the functions of this chapter.

SECTION 5. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 63-26-107, is amended by deleting such section in its entirety and by substituting instead the following:

Section 63-26-107. All fees paid to the commissioner pursuant to this chapter shall be paid to the state treasurer and become a part of the general fund. No expenditure by the commissioner to implement the provisions of this chapter until allotment for the expenditure has been made by the commissioner of finance and administration.

SECTION 6. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 63-26-108, is amended by deleting the first sentence of subsection (a) in its entirety and by substituting instead the following:

The commissioner of health shall:

SECTION 7. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 63-26-108, is further amended in subdivision (a) by deleting subdivision (5) in its entirety.

SECTION 8. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 63-26-108, is further amended in subsection (b) by deleting the language "board of electrology" wherever it may be found and by substituting instead the language "commissioner".

SECTION 9. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 63-26-109, is amended by deleting the word "board" and by substituting instead the language "commissioner".

SECTION 10. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 63-26-110, is amended by deleting such section in its entirety and by substituting instead the following:

Section 63-26-110. a person who acts in good faith shall not be civilly liable for providing information to the commissioner on any matter relative to the practice of electrolysis.

SECTION 11. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 63-26-111(4), is amended in subdivision (B) by deleting the language "board" and by substituting instead the language "commissioner".

SECTION 12. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 63-26-111(4), is further amended in subdivision (C) by deleting the language "board certified or board eligible dermatologist" and by substituting instead the language "dermatologist approved by the commissioner".

SECTION 13. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 63-26-111(4)(C), is amended in subdivision (i) by deleting the language "board certified or board eligible dermatologist" and by substituting instead the language "dermatologist approved by the commissioner".

SECTION 14. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 63-26-111(4)(C), is amended in subdivision (ii) by deleting the language "board" and by substituting instead the language "commissioner or commissioner's designee".

SECTION 15. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 63-26-111(4)(C), is amended in subdivision (iii) by deleting the language "board" and by substituting instead the language "commissioner or commissioner's designee".

SECTION 16. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 63-26-111, is amended in subdivision (5) by deleting the language "given by the board" and by substituting instead the language "approved by the commissioner".

SECTION 17. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 63-26-111, is amended in subdivision (7) by deleting the language "board" and by substituting instead the language "commissioner".

SECTION 18. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 63-26-112, is amended in the first sentence by deleting the language "by the board".

SECTION 19. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 63-26-112, is amended by deleting subdivision (3) in its entirety and by substituting instead the following:

(3) Paid an examination fee set by the commissioner; and

SECTION 20. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 63-26-112, is amended in subdivision (4) by deleting the language "to the board" and by substituting instead the language "to the commissioner".

SECTION 21. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 63-26-113, is amended by deleting such section in its entirety and by substituting instead the following:

(a) Examinations for qualified applicants shall be offered at least once a year at the times and places determined by the commissioner.

(b) Completed applications for examination must be received by the commissioner thirty (30) days prior to the examination date.

(c) The commissioner shall notify each qualified applicant of the time and place of examination.

(d) The commissioner shall select an examination in which the testing and grading systems are recognized as standard in the field of professional licensure examinations. A clinical practicum of electrolysis shall be given.

(e) Each applicant shall provide a subject for practical demonstration.

SECTION 22. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 63-26-114, is amended by deleting the language "board" wherever it may be found and by substituting instead the language "commissioner".

SECTION 23. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 63-26-115, is amended by deleting the language "board" wherever it may be found and by substituting instead the language "commissioner".

SECTION 24. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 63-26-116, is amended by deleting the language "board" wherever it may be found and by substituting instead the language "commissioner".

SECTION 25. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 63-26-117, is amended by deleting the language "board" wherever it may be found and by substituting instead the language "commissioner".

SECTION 26. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 63-26-118, is amended by deleting the language "board" wherever it may be found and by substituting instead the language "commissioner".

SECTION 27. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 63-26-119(a), is amended in the first sentence by deleting the language "board" and by substituting instead the language "commissioner".

SECTION 28. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 63-26-119(a)(6), is amended in subdivision (E) by deleting the language "board" and by substituting instead the language "commissioner".

SECTION 29. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 63-26-119(b), is amended by deleting the language "board" and by substituting instead the language "commissioner".

SECTION 30. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 63-26-120, is amended by deleting the language "board" wherever it may be found and by substituting instead the language "commissioner".

SECTION 31. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 63-26-121, is amended by deleting the language "board" wherever it may be found and by substituting instead the language "commissioner".

SECTION 32. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 63-26-123, is amended by deleting in the first sentence the language "board" and by substituting instead the language "commissioner".

SECTION 33. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 63-26-125, is amended by deleting the language "board" and by substituting instead the language "commissioner".

SECTION 34. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 63-26-126, is amended by deleting the language "board" wherever it may be found and by substituting instead the language "commissioner".

SECTION 35. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 63-26-127, is amended in subsection (c) by deleting the language "board of electrologists" and by substituting instead the language "commissioner".

SECTION 36. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 4-29-229(a), is amended by deleting item (9) in its entirety.

SECTION 37. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it.